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## STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF	:	
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	
	:	FINAL DECISION AND ORDER
JEROME MELBINGER, D.D.S.,	:	ADOPTING STIPULATION
RESPONDENT	:	93 DEN 28
	:	LS 94 02251DEN

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The parties to this action for the purposes of Wis. Stats. sec. 227.53 are:

Jerome Melbinger, D.D.S.  
708 Louisa Street  
Crivitz, Wisconsin 54114

Dentistry Examining Board  
P.O. Box 8935  
Madison, WI 53708-8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing  
Division of Enforcement  
P.O. Box 8935  
Madison, WI 53708-8935

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation and this Final Decision and Order as the final decision of this matter, subject to the approval of the Board. The Board has reviewed the Stipulation and this Final Decision and Order and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The respondent herein is Jerome Melbinger, D.D.S., date of birth February 1, 1942, and is licensed under ch. 447, Wis. Stats., to practice dentistry in the State of Wisconsin, license #2439. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Department of Regulation and Licensing is 708 Louisa Street, Box 297, Crivitz, WI 54114.

2. Respondent was previously licensed as a dentist in the state of Wisconsin, license number 0328G, first granted June 15, 1966.

3. By Stipulation and Decision and Order dated June 27, 1978, Respondent's license to practice dentistry in the State of Wisconsin, license # 0328G, was revoked for a minimum period of 18 months by the Wisconsin Dentistry Examining Board. The Board made findings, among others, that:

"3. That on November 18, 1977, in Circuit Court for Marathon County, the Honorable Ralph J. Strandberg, Acting Circuit Court Judge, presiding, respondent was convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude, namely, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, contrary to sec. 947.15(1)(a), Wis. Stats.,...

5. That on November 18, 1977, respondent was convicted of the crime of contributing to the delinquency of a minor, and that the allegation underlying said conviction was that respondent took indecent liberties with a seventeen-year-old female dental patient; ...."
4. From November 1990 through November, 1992, Respondent engaged in a course of conduct in his practice of dentistry and by virtue of his licensure as a dentist, in violation of secs. DE 5.02(1), (3), and (10), Wis. Adm. Code, and sec. 447.07(3)(a) and (m), Wis. Stats., all as hereinafter described.
5. From approximately March 1980 to the present, and at all times relevant to this matter, Respondent was engaged in and maintained a dentistry practice at 708 Louisa Street, Village of Crivitz, Wisconsin.
6. Patient A (identified by separate, sealed document) was at all times relevant to this matter a dental patient of Respondent, from approximately February 1985 through February 1993. Respondent provided general dental care and services, among other things as herein described, to Patient A and her family over this period of time.
7. In early 1989, Respondent solicited Patient A to work for him as his assistant when Patient A, then age 14, was present in his office for a dental appointment.
8. From approximately Summer, 1989 through March 5, 1993, Patient A was employed by Respondent as an assistant in his dental practice.
9. On or about February 8, 1991, or prior thereto, while Patient A was a patient and employee of Respondent, Respondent solicited Patient A's participation in a purported dental analgesia study or research project.
10. On or about February 8, 1991, and continuing through approximately January 1993, Respondent gave to Patient A and requested her to complete a series of questionnaires concerning the purported study or research project. Patient A completed and answered most of the questions of the questionnaires.
11. The purported study or research project was to involve, among other things, vaginal examination of Patient A, the insertion of an electrode or other electrical device into Patient A's vagina, shaving or permanent hair removal from the pubic and labial areas of Patient A, rectal examination of Patient A, administration of topical anesthetic to the anal and rectal areas of Patient A, and the making of casts or "templates" of the breasts, hips, and vaginal areas of Patient A, and making videotape and/or photographic recordings of the aforesaid procedures.
12. From February 8, 1991 until March 1993, Respondent continued to solicit and persuade Patient A to participate in the purported study or research project.
13. The purported study or research project was in fact not a legitimate, serious or scientific study or research project.

14. The purported study or research project was in fact bogus and a false and fraudulent pretense and deceit by Respondent to persuade, unduly influence and maneuver Patient A into acceding to and in fact subjecting herself to the purported study or research project conducted by Respondent for the real purpose of enabling Respondent to take indecent liberties upon and take unfair advantage of Patient A.

15. On various occasions while Patient A was both a dental patient and employee, Respondent dispensed to Patient A various prescription drugs and controlled substances for treatment of sore throats and headaches. Respondent also offered to provide Patient A birth control pills for when she should become sexually active.

16. On or about November 25, 1992, shortly after Patient A's eighteenth birthday, while no one else was present in the office, Respondent had patient A come to his basement level office for purposes of carrying out certain elements of the purported study. Respondent had Patient A totally unclothed.

17. Respondent had Patient A sit in a homemade examination table and chair equipped with leg stirrups that was fitted over the top of his office desk located in the basement premises of his office building. Except for a paper gown placed over her, Patient A was totally nude.

18. Respondent proceeded to make plaster molds of Patient A's hip areas with the paper gown removed.

19. Respondent took a tape measurement of Patient A's breasts with the paper gown removed.

20. While Patient A was completely naked, Respondent inserted his thumb or finger into her vagina.

21. While Patient A was completely naked, Respondent inserted into Patient A's vagina a speculum or similar device and began to spread her vaginal canal with the device.

22. Patient A was hurt by Respondent's spreading of her vaginal canal with the speculum.

23. Patient A had not had any prior vaginal examination by a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, nor anyone else, nor had had any sexual relations prior to the Respondent's having inserted the speculum and spread her vaginal canal.

24. Respondent had Patient A put her panties back on and place herself again in the examination table on his desk. Respondent thereupon removed the left side and sub-navel pubic hair of Patient A with an electrical device.

25. Patient A terminated her involvement in the purported study following the events in November 1992.

26. None of the procedures carried out by Respondent upon Patient A described in paragraphs 10 through 22 and 24 have any relationship to the legitimate practice of dentistry, dental hygiene, dental research, or dental analgesia.

27. The procedures carried out by Respondent upon Patient A described in paragraphs 10 through 22 and 24 are beyond the scope of legitimate practice of dentistry, dental hygiene, dental research, or dental analgesia.

28. Patient A as a patient of Respondent from a young age and as an employee of Respondent from the age of 15, was young, naive, and susceptible to undue influence by Respondent by virtue of his dominating position over her as her family's long time dentist and employer.

29. Respondent had repeated close and private contact in which to exercise undue influence upon Patient A by virtue of his employment of Patient A in his office as a dental assistant.

30. Respondent possessed a disposition to take improper, illegal, unethical and unprofessional advantage of his close and dominating relationship, as family dentist and employer, with Patient A.

31. Respondent exercised undue influence and took unfair advantage of Patient A in order to deceitfully and fraudulently obtain her consent to participate in the bogus research study and thereby subject herself to the above described procedures by Respondent that were beyond the legitimate scope of dental practice, examination, study or research, and which were undertaken by Respondent to satisfy prurient and salacious interests, satisfaction of which he could not otherwise obtain from Patient A.

32. Respondent falsely represented that the purported study or research project was a legitimate research study or project related to the practice of dentistry.

33. Respondent made such representations with the intent to defraud and deceive Patient A to induce her belief that the purported study was legitimate and related to the practice of dentistry and that her participation in the study would advance her position as a dental assistant to Respondent and advance her career interests in the field of dentistry, all to induce her consent to subject herself to the procedures proposed and carried out by Respondent.

34. Patient A relied upon Respondent's false representations that the purported study was legitimate and related to the practice of dentistry and consented to subject herself to the procedures carried out by Respondent as described herein.

35. On one or more occasions Respondent dispensed to Patient A penicillin or other prescription antibiotic drug for treatment of a sore throat, but failed to document any such physical finding, diagnosis or treatment in Patient A's dental records.

36. On one or more occasions Respondent dispensed to Patient A Fioricet, a prescription drug, for treatment of headaches, but failed to document any such complaint, diagnosis or treatment in Patient A's dental records.

37. On one or more occasions Respondent dispensed to Patient A Vicodin, a Schedule III controlled substance under ch. 161, Wis. Stats., for treatment of headaches, but failed to document any such complaint, diagnosis or treatment in Patient A's dental records.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Dentistry Examining Board has jurisdiction over this matter and authority to take disciplinary action against the Respondent pursuant to Wis. Stats. sec. 447.07(3), and Wis. Adm. Code Ch. DE 5.

2. The Wisconsin Dentistry Examining Board is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stats. sec. 227.44(5).

3. Respondent exercised undue influence upon and took unfair advantage of Patient A, which constitutes unprofessional conduct under the terms of sec. DE 5.02(10), Wis. Adm. Code, and thereby subjects Respondent to discipline under sec. 447.07, Wis. Stats.

4. Respondent engaged in conduct, using his position as a dentist licensed to practice dentistry in the State of Wisconsin, that was beyond the scope of any conduct or activity authorized by his license to practice dentistry, which constitutes unprofessional conduct under sec. DE 5.02(3), Wis. Adm. Code, and therefore is subject to disciplinary action pursuant to sec. 447.07, Wis. Stats.

5. Respondent, as described herein, made a substantial misrepresentation in the course of his practice, and by virtue of his licensure, as a dentist which was relied upon by Patient A, which constitutes unprofessional conduct under sec. 447.07(3)(m), Wis. Stats., and therefore subjects Respondent to disciplinary action pursuant to sec. 447.07, Wis. Stats.

6. Respondent's conduct as described herein constituted a substantial danger to the health, welfare and safety of Patient A, and constitutes unprofessional conduct as defined in sec. DE 5.02(1), Wis. Adm. Code, and therefore subjects Respondent to discipline under sec. 447.07, Wis. Stats.

7. The dispensing of prescription drugs and controlled substances to Patient A for sore throat and headaches was conduct beyond the scope of Respondent's license to practice dentistry and constitutes unprofessional conduct under secs. DE 5.02(3) and (6), Wis. Adm. Code, and subjects Respondent to discipline under sec. 447.07, Wis. Stats.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

That the Stipulation of the parties, attached hereto, is accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED as follows:

1. Effective 90 (ninety) days after the date of this Order, the license to practice dentistry in the State of Wisconsin of Jerome D. Melbinger, D.D.S., shall be REVOKED, and on such date Dr. Melbinger shall surrender and cause to be delivered to the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Bureau of Health Professions, any and all certificates of licensure and registration to practice dentistry in the State of Wisconsin.

2. Effective the date of this Order and continuing until the effective date of revocation, Dr. Melbinger shall not employ any female under the age of 21 in his practice of dentistry, except he may continue to employ his daughter, Holly Melbinger. Effective the date of this Order and continuing through the date of revocation, Dr. Melbinger shall not be alone in any room with, nor provide any dental services to, any female patient under the age of 21 unless the patient's parent or another adult is present in the room where any such services are being performed by Dr. Melbinger.

3. Jerome D. Melbinger shall not apply for relicensure to practice dentistry in the State of Wisconsin for a minimum period of two years and three months following the date of this Final Decision and Order. Dr. Melbinger shall not have any right to a hearing on denial of any application for relicensure made prior to two years and three months following the date of this Order. If Dr. Melbinger applies again for relicensure, the following shall be conditions for any such application for relicensure:

a. Evaluation and Treatment. Dr. Melbinger shall undergo a psychiatric evaluation by a psychiatrist or psychologist (hereinafter referred to as "evaluator") appropriately qualified in psycho-sexual disorders. The evaluator shall be approved in advance by the Dentistry Examining Board with consultation by the Division of Enforcement. The Division of Enforcement shall provide to the evaluator all information relevant to the allegations of the formal complaint from the investigative and prosecution files in this case, including all such information from the prior 1978 disciplinary case concerning Dr. Melbinger referred to above, such information to be taken into consideration in the evaluation and treatment recommendations by the evaluator. Dr. Melbinger shall comply with all recommendations for treatment, which shall be documented and reported every 3 months directly to the Board by the evaluator. Dr. Melbinger may seek Board approval of an evaluator and undergo the evaluation and treatment in advance of his application for relicensure, however, in such case Dr. Melbinger shall be required to furnish appropriate releases and cause his evaluator to undertake the periodic reporting required herein.

b. Examinations. Dr. Melbinger shall take and pass all examinations required for original licensure to practice dentistry in the State of Wisconsin then in effect at the time of application for relicensure.

c. Conditions for Relicensure. The decision on relicensure shall be discretionary with the Board, and Dr. Melbinger shall have the burden of demonstrating to the satisfaction of the Board compliance with all terms of this Order, compliance with all recommendations for treatment, that he is rehabilitated, and that he is professionally and clinically competent to practice dentistry. If the Board grants relicensure, relicensure shall be upon a LIMITED LICENSE restricting Dr. Melbinger to the practice of dentistry only in a prison setting upon adult male patients. The limited license shall continue for a period of not less than 5 (FIVE) YEARS from the date of relicensure. After the 5 year period of limited licensure, Dr. Melbinger may petition the Board for modification or removal of the limitation on his license. At the time of such petition, Dr. Melbinger shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Board compliance with all terms of the final decision and order, compliance with any continuing recommendations for treatment, that he is rehabilitated, and that he is professionally and clinically competent to practice dentistry as requested in such petition. The Board may impose appropriate conditions on Dr. Melbinger's practice for safeguarding minor female patients and prohibit employment of females under the age of 21.

b. Consents for Release of Information. Dr. Melbinger shall at all times provide and keep on file with his evaluator and all treatment facilities and personnel current releases which comply with state and federal laws, authorizing release of all his mental health care, treatment and monitoring records to the Dentistry Examining Board and the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement, and permitting his evaluator to disclose and discuss the progress of his treatment and rehabilitation and all matters relating thereto with the Dentistry Examining Board or its duly authorized representatives or agents. Copies of these releases shall be filed simultaneously with the Dentistry Examining Board and the Division of Enforcement. Dr. Melbinger shall also provide and keep on file with his current employer(s) current releases authorizing release of all employment records and reports regarding Dr. Melbinger to the Dentistry Examining Board and the Division of Enforcement, and authorizing his employer to discuss with the Board or its authorized agents and representatives Dr. Melbinger's employment history, progress and status and all matters relating thereto. Copies of these employment records releases shall be filed simultaneously with the Board and the Division of Enforcement.

4. Dr. Melbinger shall pay all out of pocket costs and expenses of the investigation and disciplinary proceeding within 30 days of the date of the

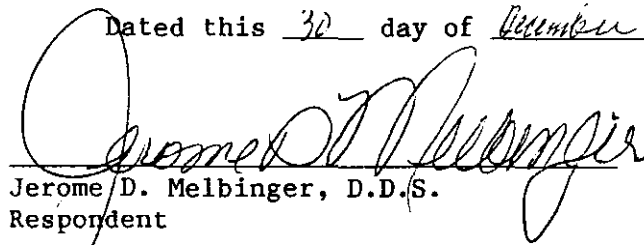
order. The Division of Enforcement shall file an affidavit with the Board and provide a copy thereof to Dr. Melbinger's attorney setting forth such out of pocket costs and expenses of this investigation and proceeding not later than 15 days following the date of the Order. Failure to pay such costs in full within 30 days shall result in immediate imposition of revocation of license.


DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD

By: Thomas G Brandt 1-4-95  
A Member of the Board Date

I, Jerome D. Melbinger, have read and understood all parts of this Order and attached Stipulation, and pursuant to the attached Stipulation, without admitting the allegations of the Complaint hereby consent to the entry of the foregoing Final Decision and Order by the Wisconsin Dentistry Examining Board.

Dated this 30 day of December, 1994.

  
Jerome D. Melbinger, D.D.S.  
Respondent

  
Daniel W. Hildebrand  
DeWitt, Ross & Stevens, S.C.  
Attorney for Respondent



STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF	:	
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	
	:	STIPULATION
JEROME MELBINGER, D.D.S.,	:	93 DEN 28
RESPONDENT	:	LS 94 02251DEN
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It is hereby stipulated and agreed between Respondent, Jerome D. Melbinger D.D.S., personally and by his attorney, Daniel W. Hildebrand, and Complainant, the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement, by its attorney, Robert T. Ganch, as follows:

1. This Stipulation is entered into as a result of the above-captioned disciplinary proceeding concerning the license of Jerome D. Melbinger to practice as a dentist in the State of Wisconsin. The Respondent consents to the resolution of this disciplinary action by this Stipulation and without a full hearing on the allegations of the complaint.

2. The Respondent understands that by the signing of the Stipulation, the following rights are voluntarily and knowingly waived, including: the right to a hearing on the allegations against the Respondent, at which the state has the burden of proving those allegations by a preponderance of the evidence; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against the Respondent; the right to call witnesses on behalf of the Respondent and to compel their attendance by subpoena; the right of the Respondent to testify, the right to file objections to any proposed decision and to present briefs or oral arguments to the officials who are to render the final decision; the right to petition for rehearing; and all other applicable rights afforded under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes, and the Wisconsin Administrative Code.

3. The Respondent in consideration of resolving this matter without admitting the allegations of the Complaint, hereby withdraws his Answer to the Complaint and chooses not to contest the allegations thereof, and agrees to allow the adoption, entry and issuance of the attached Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order Adopting Stipulation by the Dentistry Examining Board.

4. If the terms of this Stipulation are not acceptable to the Board, the parties shall not be bound by the contents of the Stipulation, and the matter shall be returned to the Administrative Law Judge for further proceedings.

5. If the Board accepts the terms of this Stipulation, the parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order Adopting Stipulation without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties.

6. The Division of Enforcement joins the Respondent in recommending the Dentistry Examining Board adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order Adopting Stipulation. All parties agree that the attorney for the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement and the Board Advisor to this case may appear before the Dentistry Examining Board in support of this Stipulation and attached Final Decision and Order.

7. Respondent hereby agrees, and waives any objection, that if the Dentistry Examining Board rejects this Stipulation and Order, consideration of this stipulation and order by the Dentistry Examining Board shall not prejudice the Board from consideration, deliberation and action upon any further matters or proceedings herein, including a proposed decision of the administrative law judge after a full hearing on the allegations of the Complaint.

December 28, 1994  
Date

December 30, 1994  
Date

January 3, 1995  
Date

Jerome D. Melbinger  
Jerome D. Melbinger, D.D.S.  
Respondent

Daniel W. Hildebrand  
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Dewitt, Ross & Stevens, S.C.  
Attorney for Respondent

Robert T. Ganch  
Robert T. Ganch  
Attorney for Complainant  
Department of Regulation and Licensing  
Division of Enforcement

1-4-95  
Date

Wisconsin Dentistry Examining Board

Thomas G. Brandt DDS  
A member of the Board

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## NOTICE OF APPEAL INFORMATION

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**Notice Of Rights For Rehearing Or Judicial Review, The Times Allowed For Each, And The Identification Of The Party To Be Named As Respondent.**

**Serve Petition for Rehearing or Judicial Review on:**

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD.

1400 East Washington Avenue  
P.O. Box 8935  
Madison, WI 53708.

**The Date of Mailing this Decision is:**

JANUARY 6, 1995.

### 1. REHEARING

Any person aggrieved by this order may file a written petition for rehearing within 20 days after service of this order, as provided in sec. 227.49 of the *Wisconsin Statutes*, a copy of which is reprinted on side two of this sheet. The 20 day period commences the day of personal service or mailing of this decision. (The date of mailing this decision is shown above.)

A petition for rehearing should name as respondent and be filed with the party identified in the box above.

A petition for rehearing is not a prerequisite for appeal or review.

### 2. JUDICIAL REVIEW.

Any person aggrieved by this decision may petition for judicial review as specified in sec. 227.53, *Wisconsin Statutes* a copy of which is reprinted on side two of this sheet. By law, a petition for review must be filed in circuit court and should name as the respondent the party listed in the box above. A copy of the petition for judicial review should be served upon the party listed in the box above.

A petition must be filed within 30 days after service of this decision if there is no petition for rehearing, or within 30 days after service of the order finally disposing of a petition for rehearing, or within 30 days after the final disposition by operation of law of any petition for rehearing.

The 30-day period for serving and filing a petition commences on the day after personal service or mailing of the decision by the agency, or the day after the final disposition by operation of the law of any petition for rehearing. (The date of mailing this decision is shown above.)

STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY  
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

JEROME MELBINGER, D.D.S.,  
RESPONDENT.

AFFIDAVIT OF COSTS  
93 DEN 28  
LS 94 02251DEN

STATE OF WISCONSIN )  
                              ) ss.  
COUNTY OF DANE        )

Robert T. Ganch, being duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

1. That I am an attorney licensed in the state of Wisconsin and is employed by the Wisconsin Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement:

2. That in the course of those duties I was assigned as a prosecutor in the above-captioned matter; and

3. That set out below are the out of pocket costs of the proceeding accrued to the Division of Enforcement in this matter, based upon Division of Enforcement records compiled in the regular course of agency business in the above-captioned matter.

COSTS OF DEPOSITIONS

1. Depositions taken by complainant (original and one copy)

Deposition of Jerome Melbinger	\$ 358.80
Deposition of Jerome and Irene Melbinger	\$ 662.50
Deposition of Holly Melbinger, Kimberly Melbinger Rhonda Gocht, Darlene Heabel, and Heidi Kroll	\$ 1279.20
Deposition of Lonnie Melbinger	\$ 282.90

2. Depositions taken by respondent (copy only)

Deposition of Sue Schaut	\$ 41.70
Deposition of Earlene Mariucci, John Hanson Marjory Hanson, Danica Kertesz, Danette Hanson	\$ 236.60
Deposition of Dr. Thomas Rypel	\$ 83.80
Deposition of Dr. Kenneth Zachariasen	\$ 48.10

Deposition of Marshall Reed

\$ 49.40

Deposition of Danette Hanson,  
Kelly Kwiatkowski

\$ 69.30

EXPERT WITNESS FEES

1. Dr. Thomas Rypel

\$ 1125.00

2. Dr. Kenneth Zachariasen

\$ 900.00

WITNESS FEES AND MILEAGE

1. Danette Hanson

\$ 79.00

3. Danica Kertesz

\$ 104.20

MISCELLANEOUS DISBURSEMENTS

1. Mileage for state employees, at \$0.17 per mile, round trip to:

Green Bay, Milwaukee, Marinette, Milwaukee,  
Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Marinette

\$ 202.30

2. Lodging for Robert Ganch, 2 nights.

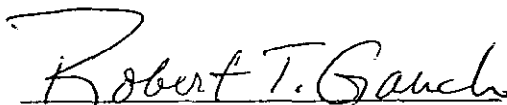
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3. Lodging for Joan Gammeter and Sue Schaut

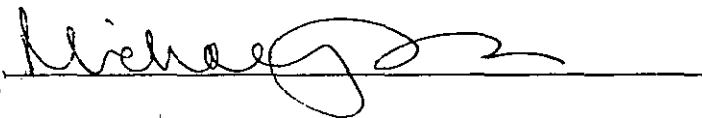
\$ 63.98

TOTAL ASSESSABLE COSTS

\$ 5684.78

  
Robert T. Ganch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1995.



Notary Public

My Commission is permanent.



State of Wisconsin \ DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION & LICENSING

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January 18, 1995

Dentistry Examining Board  
c/o Patrick Braatz, Administrator  
Division of Health Professions  
Department of Regulation and Licensing  
P.O. Box 8935  
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Dept.		Phone #	266-1790
Fax #	257-9175	Fax #	266-2264

Re: Disciplinary Proceedings Against Jerome Melbinger, D.D.S.  
93 DEN 28

Dear Mr. Braatz:

Pursuant to the Final Decision and Order Adopting Stipulation in the above referenced matter, please find enclosed for filing with the Dentistry Examining Board the Affidavit of Costs of the Complainant, the Division of Enforcement.

By copy of this letter I am serving a copy of the Affidavit of Costs on Mr. Daniel Hildebrand, attorney for the Respondent.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

*Robert T. Ganch*

Robert T. Ganch  
Attorney for Complainant  
Department of Regulation and Licensing  
Division of Enforcement  
(608) 266-1790

cc: Attorney Daniel W. Hildebrand  
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